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Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)
Situation Report
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Situation Overview

Confirmed Global COVID-19 Cases - Per Worldometers COVID-19 Live Updates as of 1100 Hours December 7, 2021:

- 267,063,849 (+4,324,684) total confirmed cases.
- 5,282,879 (+53,362) total deaths.

Confirmed United States COVID-19 Cases - Per Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) as of 1000 Hours on December 6, 2021:

- 49,002,475 (+841,504) total confirmed cases.
- 785,655 (+8,952) total deaths.

Confirmed California COVID-19 Cases - Per Medical Health Coordination Center (MHCC) as of 1100 Hours on December 6, 2021:

4,851,429 (+44,919) total confirmed cases.

[https://public.tableau.com/profile/ca.open.data#!/vizhome/COVID-19CasesDashboardv2_0/CaseStatistics\](https://public.tableau.com/profile/ca.open.data#!/vizhome/COVID-19CasesDashboardv2_0/CaseStatistics)

Confirmed Fatalities in California Reported by CHHS:

<https://data.chhs.ca.gov/dataset/covid-19-time-series-metrics-by-county-and-state>

Office of Access and Functional Needs (OAFN)

- OAFN participated with partners from the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) on a COVID-19 Outreach and Education program for officials of Indonesia to discuss California's inclusive disaster preparedness measures for individuals with access and functional needs during the COVID-19 pandemic.
- OAFN participated in the Earthquake Country Alliance (ECA) Seniors and People with Disabilities Committee meeting to discuss state responses to the COVID-19 pandemic with a particular focus on the development of updated earthquake preparedness steps that include considerations for COVID-19 and other infectious diseases.

Office of Legislative and External Affairs (OLEA)

- Cal OES, CDPH, and other state and federal partners will hold a weekly Statewide Situational Call on December 9, 2021. The call will be held at 1530 hours and will provide updates on COVID-19 response, wildfire recovery, and other elements of the state's emergency response efforts.

Joint Information Center (JIC)

- CDPH released the most recent statistics on COVID-19 on December 7, 2021. This information may be found on the CDPH OPA News Release webpage here: <https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/OPA/Pages/News-Releases-2021.aspx>
- CDPH received and responded to multiple media inquiries on COVID-19. The topics include:
 - LA Sheriff's comments on Fulgent Genetics for COVID-19 testing.
 - Percentage of workers in health care settings who complied with the COVID-19 vaccine mandate.
 - Digital Vaccine Records.
 - False allegation that Omicron variant is causing increased hospitalizations in California counties.
 - Winter surge.
 - Uptick in positivity rates.
 - Low vaccination rates in Kenwood (Sonoma County).
 - Demand for boosters.
 - The possibility of more stringent mask mandates.
 - Increased airport testing.
 - Percent of COVID-19 cases sequenced for variants.

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- The Omicron variant and how CDPH tracks variants.
- COVID-19 sniffing dogs.
- COVID-19 infection rate among people who received a booster shot.
- Multiple interview requests with state public health leaders on Omicron variant.
- Omicron variant confirmed in San Francisco.
- Which vaccine was administered to patient with Omicron.
- Testing passengers arriving at airports.
- Antibodies in recipients of Pfizer vaccine.
- Countries identified by CDC as having Omicron.
- Valencia Branch Laboratory investigation and contract renewal.
- Percentage of COVID-19 cases sequenced for variants.
- COVID-19 infection rate among people who received a booster shot.
- Medical exemptions for school vaccinations.
- Difficulty finding booster shots in Bay Area.
- Religious exemptions for state workers.
- COVID-19 death and hospitalization data.
- School district not requiring students to wear masks.
- Vaccine data scrubbing.
- San Francisco Omicron patient info.
- Wastewater monitoring for variants of concern.
- Tracking variants in smaller counties.
- Reporting specimen collection for variant sequencing.
- Response to letters from school district superintendents asking the Governor not to mandate vaccines for students.
- Vaccine mandates.
- Reporting deaths and hospitalizations for vaccinated and unvaccinated people.
- Total cases of Omicron variant in California.
- Rapid antigen tests.
- Testing travelers arriving from South Africa.

Logistics/Commodity Movement Task Force (ESF 7)

Warehouse/OES:

- Estes Trailer & Driver to EMSA to delivery beds to Marysville; 11/23
- Estes Trailer & Driver to EMSA to delivery beds to Madera; 11/30

DGS:

- NSTR

Logistics/Commodity Movement Updates	
Warehouse and Shipping	
Resource Requests	Received – 53 Missions Ran – 29
Items Shipped from West Sacramento, Stockton, Citrus, and Dixon	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Cloth Masks: 3,900 ▪ Face Shields: 1,640 ▪ Gloves: 214,000 ▪ Goggles: 200 ▪ Gowns: 600 ▪ Test Kits: 19,030 ▪ Medical Equipment: 200 ▪ Surgical Masks: 108,000 ▪ N95 Respirators: 14,400 ▪ Other: 15 ▪ Hand Sanitizers: 1,176

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- Swabs: 114
- Viral Testing Media: 1,008
- Wipes: 146,160

Commodities Shipped: 11/22-11/30

510,443

Test Kit Distribution Project

Total Collection Kits Shipped Week of 11/22

20,152

Cumulative Test Kits Shipped since 4/12/20

30,501,925

California Department of Public Health (CDPH)

- MHCC received a total of [26,743 \(+787\)](#) resource requests and a total of [42,988 \(+67\)](#) inquiries from public citizens, local health jurisdictions, and healthcare facilities. The number of inquiries listed is a total of the Maximus Call Center and MHCC inquiry counts combined.
- CHCQ received 1 facility Program Flex requests.
- CHCQ received 1 Salesforce requests.

Guidance

- The following guidances have been updated and/or posted to the CDPH webpage:
 - [On December 1, 2021 CDPH published CAHAN Disease Notification "CDC Health Alert Network \(HAN\) Health Advisory: New SARS-CoV-2 Variant of Concern Identified: Omicron \(B.1.1.529\) Variant"](#).
 - [On December 2, 2021 CDPH published CAHAN Disease Notification - "CDPH News Release 21-341 Joint Statement from the California and San Francisco Departments of Public Health on the First Confirmed Case of the Omicron Variant"](#).
 - [On December 3, 2021 CDPH published CAHAN Disease Notification - CDPH HAN: Health Alert SARS-CoV-2 virus variant of concern B.1.1.529 \(Omicron\). This updated CAHAN provides key information for Local Health Jurisdictions and health care providers on what we currently know about this variant and recommendations for detecting and reporting cases associated with this variant.](#)
 - [On November 30, 2021 CDPH published "Public Health Order Questions & Answers: Adult Care Facilities and Direct Care Worker Vaccine Requirement"](#). This addresses frequent questions related to the Adult Care Facilities and Direct Care Worker Vaccine Requirement Public Health Order.
 - [On November 30, 2021 CDPH updated "Face Covering Question & Answers"](#). This update align with K-12 Schools 2021-2022 guidance.

Emergency Medical Services Authority (EMSA)

- Support the build-out of CoViD-19 surge hospitals at El Centro and Pioneers Hospitals in Imperial County and Adventist Health-Rideout Hospital in Yuba County.
- EMSA/CAL-MAT is supporting the needs of Medical tent structures in several counties throughout the state, including Humboldt and Imperial.

Department of Health Care Services (DHCS)

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Statewide Vaccine Efforts as of December 7, 2021, at 2359 hours:

Statewide Vaccine Efforts	
Administered	59,919,966 (+1,633,784)
Average doses per day	212,126 (+73,779)
People fully vaccinated	25,843,530 (+369,674)
People partially vaccinated	3,181,308 (-72,470)
Booster doses Administered	6,755,807 (+971,327)
Doses on hand	5,728,002 (-264,491)
Delivered	70,112,265 (+884,300)
CDC Long Term Care Facility Pharmacy Partnership	
Delivered	26,685,910 (+483,550)

Hotel Rooms for Homeless Populations as of November 30, 2021:

	Count
Total Hotel Rooms Occupied	6,474
Total Hotel Rooms Acquired	10,739

Ventilator Inventory as of December 6, 2021, at 0800 Hours:

PPE	Received (Total including Out of Service, Available and Assigned)	Out of Service (On the floor – Not Ready)	Available (Patient Ready)	Assigned (Shipped to Identified Location)	Total Surge Goal
Ventilators	15,652	2,083 (+8)	12,262 (-5)	1,307 (-3)	15,000

CHHS/Cal OES Resource Request Tasking as of December 7, 2021 at 1400 Hours:

	Action Required	Coordinating	En Route	On Scene	Closed	Total
SOC OPS	0	7 (-1)	0	37	1,368 (+1)	1,412
MHCC	0	0	91 (+18)	0	7,915 (+558)	8,006 (+576)
Total	0	7 (-1)	91 (+18)	37	9,283 (+559)	9,418 (+576)

Federal Resource Requests (Active) as of December 7, 2021:

Entity	# of Active Resources Requests
Statewide (State and Local Agencies)	109
Federal (FEMA, DoD, HHS)	51
Total	160

Bulk Shipments as of December 7, 2021, at 1030 Hours

Organization	# Of Shipments
Department of Real Estate	4
City of Oakland Human Services	1
California State University (CSU)	2 (+0)
Total (May 3rd to December 7, 2021)	10,962 (+46)*

Tribal Bulk Shipments from May 3, 2020, to December 7, 2021 at 1030 Hours:

Recipient	# of Shipments	Item	Amount
Tribes	482 (+2)	Surgical Masks	18,743,000 (6,000)
		Cloth Masks	782,500
Total			19,525,500 (+6,000)

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Personnel Requests by Agency as of December 7, 2021

Staff Resource	Deployed	Delta	Facilities Staffed per Agency	Delta
Cal MAT**/ EMSA Staff	3	-3	4	0
Contractors	1,350	224	108	-6
Staging Staff	134	69	0	0
Total	1,487	290	112	-6

Volunteers and Donations Task Force as of December 7, 2021

Contributions Workgroup Updates - Salesforce Contributions Portal

Solicitation Offers	Donation Offers	Resource Procurement and Donation Focused Emails	PPE Request from Trade Associations
3	1	0	0

County Reports

Glenn

- Glenn County Public Health continues to partner with Northern Valley Indian Health to hold community COVID-19 clinics, to continue through December 2021 into January 2022. Weekly flu and covid clinics held at GCPH.
- Providing vaccine, managing GCPH vaccine inventory, and providing assistance with use of myCAVax system to local vaccine providers.
- Local acute care hospitals are experiencing staffing shortages due to high prevailing wages and high demand for nursing staff throughout region and state. Call was held on November 22, 2021 with CDPH, Regional Disaster Medical Health Coordinators And Specialists (RDMHS), and Medical Health Operational Area Coordinator (MHOAC) to discuss the situation. Census has been 19 over the last few days. Acute care hospitals were surveyed with some finding they are working to clear up.
- Local skilled nursing facilities and a pediatrician have reported some supply chain issues with surgical mask orders; GCPH was able to provide PPE needs until their order arrives.

Lake

- Public health is experiencing critical shortage in nursing staff. The ability to stand up vaccination clinics is dependent upon nursing staffing levels.

San Francisco

- On December 1, 2021, CDPH and San Francisco Department of Public Health confirmed the first case of the Omicron variant in the United States, identified by the University of California, San Francisco, and linked to travel-associated exposure. As of December 3, 2021, the Omicron variant has been confirmed in Minnesota, Colorado, New York, Hawaii, and Nebraska. Public outreach and information has been updated. There is currently no change in strategy other than re-emphasis on the importance of booster vaccination in appropriate population.

Shasta

- Surge Plans activated at Mercy Medical Center- Redding, using **Peds** for adult teletry patients. State staffing support for Shasta Regional Surge build-out extended through December 31, 2021.
- Supporting infection control of homeless shelter with local interventions and **ORT** resource requests ended November 30, 2021.
- In-patient Health Care Facilities experiencing critical staffing and supply issues.
- Surge build out staff extended until the end of the month of December 2021.